HE RETREATS DURING THE NIGHT.

Grant Pursues on Friday Morning.

Comes Up With Lee's Rear Guard.

Probably Another Battle Yesterday.

HANCOCK'S GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

Rebel Division and its General Captured.

4.000 Prisoners Taken on Thursday

Thirty or Forty Cannon Captured.

SIGEL HEARD FROM.

He Has Torn Up the Railroad East of Lynchburg.

Rebel Supplies from the West Cut Off.

NO RETREAT FOR LEE THAT WAY.

HIS ARMY NEARLY HEMMED IN.

Lee Himself in Richmond lower Wounded.

GEN. BUTLER DOING SPLENDIDLY.

Bichmond.

Reported Retreat of Joe Johnston.

Occupation of Dalton by Our Forces

"THE END DRAWS NEAR."

WAR DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL DISPATCHES.

The Secretary of War to Gen. Dix-News to Thursday, 8 p. m.-Gen. Hancock's Aplendid Movement-Capture of a Whole Rebel Division and a Major Line Very Strong.

WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13-5:30 a. m. at the battle-field near Spottsylvania Court-House.

They state that during the night Gen. Hancock searched from his previous position on our right, and accupied the ground between Gens. Wright and Burnside. At daylight he attacked with his accustomed impetnosity, forcing the first, and then the second line of the enemy's works, capturing the whole of Edward Johnson's division and part of Early's, together with Maj.-Gen. Johnson, Gen. Stewart, and from 30 to 40

The number of prisoners is not given, but it is to b counted by thousands.

Gen. Burnside, on the extreme left, opened at the same time with Gen. Hancock, and advanced with com-Junction with Gen. Hancock, and his left is now actively

Gen, Wright's troops attacked at 7:15 o'clock and

engaged.

Gen. Warren is demonstrating to hold the enemy in Front of his lines. The Rebel works at that point are points on both roads have been destroyed. When re

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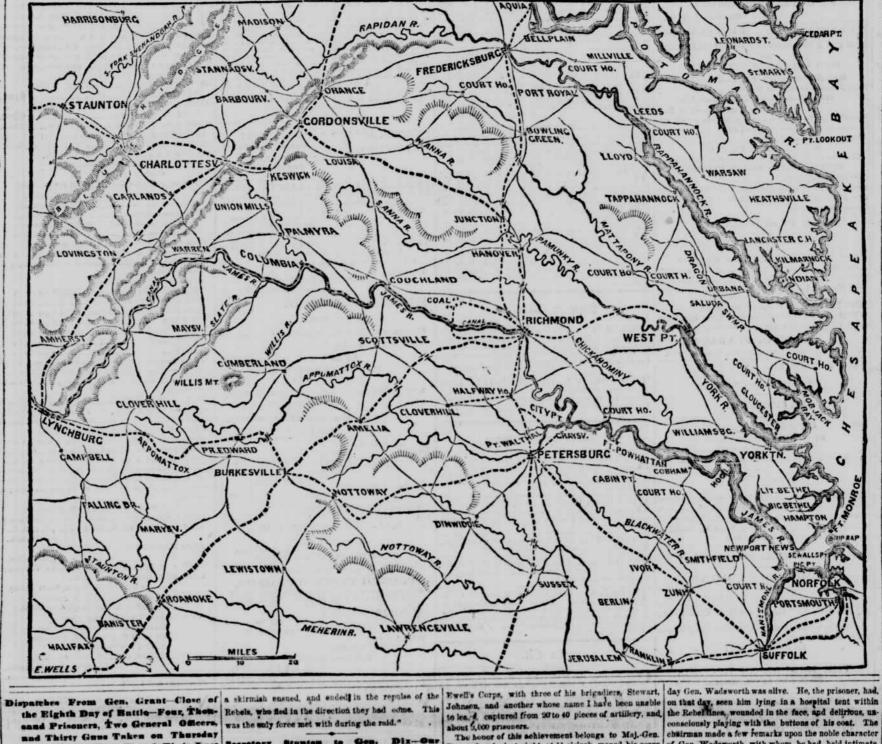


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CAMPAIGN IN VIRGINIA.



and Thirty Guns Taken on Thursday The Rebels Have Found Their Last Ditch-Our Organization Still Intact, not even a Company Lost.

WASHINGTON, Friday, 2:30 p. m., May 13, 1864. To Maj.-Gen. Drx: A dispatch from Lieut. Gen, Grant has just been received, dated near Spottsylvania Court-House, May 12, 6:36 p. m. It is as fel-

and 4,000 prisoners in our hands for the day, including in 30 days. two general officers and over thirty pieces of artillery. The enemy are obstinate, and seem to have found the last ditch." We have lost no organization-not even company-while we have destroyed and captured one division (Johnson's), one brigade (Dobbs's), and one regiment entire of the enemy's.

E. M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

Retreat-They Disappear on Thursday Hancock's brilliant achievement yesterday. Night-Grant Follows on Friday Morning-He Gets a Sight of their Rear Guard at 7 O'Clock-Glerious Spirits of our Troops-A Rain-Storm and Plenty of Mud Carnage of Thursday. WASHINGTON, Thursday, 6:30 p.m., May 13, 1864. Maj. Gen. Dix: The following dispatch from Mr. Dana has just reached this Department.

EDWIN M. STANTON. SPOTTSYLVANIA COURT-HOUSE, Va., Friday, May 13, 8 a. m., 1864.

Hon, E. M. STANTON, Secretary of War: Lee abannoned his position during the night, whether to occupy a new position in the vicinity, or to make thorough retreat, is not determined.

One division of Wright's and one of Hancock's are engaged in settling this question, and at 74 a. m. had come up on his rear guard. Though our army is greatly fatigued from the enormous efforts of yesterday, General-Burnside's Movements-Rebel the news of Lee's departure inspires the men with fresh energy. The whole force will soon be in motion, but the heavy rains of the last thirty-six hours render the roads very difficult for wagons and artillery. The proreceived by this Department, dated yesterday, 8 a. m., of the previous days' fighting. This was owing to the

great use made of artillery. EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

Great News from Sigel-He Breaks Up the Virginia and Tennessee Hailroad -Lee's Supplies from and Escape to the West Cut Off-The Staunton Road also Broken-A Small Fight with Bebel Cavalry.

WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13, 1864. The Extra Star says: "An officer who arrived here to-day reports that at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a dispatch was read at the front from Gen. Sigel's command, dated at Butler's Mountain, between paratively little opposition. His right has fermed a Charlottesville and Lynchburg, at 10 o'clock a. m., anouncing that our cavalry had torn up the railroad be tween Charlottesville and Lynchburg, 26 miles below the former place; and also that the track of the Gordons ville Railroad, between Charlottesville and Keswick, had been destroyed. All the bridges between the above turning, our forces encountered a body of Rebel cavalry. who came from the direction of Carter's Mountain, and

alties-Resenforcements going to Gen. WASHINGTON, D. C., Friday, May 13-6:55 p. m.

Major-Gen. Dix, New-York .- The Acting Surgeon-General reports that of 500 patients from the recent battle-field admitted into the Harwood Hospital ot one will require any surgical operation. Two thirds of the whole number of wounded will be fit for service

Reënforcements are going forward to the Army of the EDWIN M. STANTON Secretary of War.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES OF THE N. Y. TRIBUNE. Official Confirmation of Gen. Hancock's Brilliant Achievement.

Special Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune.

WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13, 1864. The Secretary of War official dispatches confirmatory of the report of Gen.

Large Number of Rebel Prisoners Taken Grent Rejoicing in Washington. Special Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune

Washington, Friday, May 13-1 p. m. Nothing later than my last dispatch. Assistant Secretary Dana says we have many thousands of prisoners, and Gen. Ingalls, in a message to

the War Department, puts the number at 5,000. There is great rejoicing here over the good news.

Operations of Our Cavalry-Gen. Sheridan Breaks Up the Bailroad in Lee's Renr. Becaptures Prisoners, &c. pecial Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribone.

Washington, Friday, May 13-2 p. m. An Extra Star has the following:

We learn from high authority that a dispatch was eceived in this city last evening from Gen. Sheridan stating that he had cut off communication with Richnond-by destroying ten miles of railroad between Gen. Lee and [Richmond-captured three Rebel trains, and released 500 Union prisoners who were on the

The Reported Successes Anthentie-Gen Crawford Killed or Captured. Special Disputch to The N.IY. Tribune. WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13, 1864.

The Secretary of War has nothing later than dispatches published this morning. Those are authentic. Hancock, yesterday, did splendidly. Gen. Crawford of the Pennsylvania Reserves, is

either killed or captured. Additional Confirmation Senator Neomith

Has a Dispatch from Gen. Ingalls. pecial Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune. WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13-Noon.

A dispatch from Gen. Ingalls to Senator Nesmith has just been received. It fully confirms the great news of the capture yesterday of several thousand prisoners, including four Generals, with many

The Battle of Thursday-A Fierce and Bloody Contest-Two Lines of Lee's Rife Pite Captured-3,000 Prisoners at One Blow-Hancock in his Glory-The Bebels Getting Worn Out-Burnside Engaged-Our Cavalry in Lee's fit for duty.

secial Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune. Washington, Friday, May 13, 1864.

Your correspondent Grey sends the following: BATTLE FIELD NEAR SPOTISTIVANIA C. H., }
Thursday, May 12-3 o'clock, p. m. We have to-day achieved a signal success by the capure of two lines of the enemy's rifle pits.

Hancock, who last night, at 11 o'clock, moved his corps lown to our left, and at early dawn charged the Rebel works, taking the enemy by surprise and making the captures above mentioned. Our men are jubilant, and death or otherwise of Gen. Wadsworth is officially perfectly confident of success.

An order from headquarters to the troops, announce ing our captures, was read this merning, and produced the greatest enthusiasm. Rebel prisoners state that their army is fearfully de

moralized, and that if the fight continues but few wike be left to tell the tale of the battles ot the Wilderness. The fight has raged desperately all day. At about o'clock a. m., the enemy charged upon the works taken

by Gen. Hancock earlier in the morning, and for three r four hours endeavored to repossess their rifle-pits They were in every instance repulsed with great laughter, and our men are now in undisturbed possession of their works. Burnside occupies the extreme left of our position and

has been engaged to-day.

on. The bands along line are playing national airs and very one is confident of success.

Maj.-Gen. Sheridan commanding the Cavalry corps has destroyed ten miles of the Orange Alexandria Railroad near Gordonsville also two locomotives and a large amount of sup plies near Beaver Dam, he also recaptured 500 of our nen taken prisoners during the late battle say he has een annoyed by flank and rear attacks, which he inva riably repulsed, and that he expects to fight the enemy's cavalry on the other side of the South Anna River.

It has been raining very hard at intervals all day The fighting has nevertheless been incessant. Gen Ruger, with re-enforcements, is expected up to-night o to-morrow morning from Belle Plain and Fredericks-

Our lines have been concentrated, and are now no over two miles in length. Our losses to-day have been

Among the killed and wounded are Col. J. W. Carns 14th Indiana; killed, Col. Stryker, 2d Delaware; Col. Q. A. Smythe, commanding the Irish Brigade; slightly, by fragment of shell, Lieut.-Col. Doris, 12th N. J. killed, Maj. Levitt, 16th Me.; lungs, serious, Majo Dhas. Munde, A. A. G., 2 divisien, 6th corps; severe fiesh wound, Capt. J. M. K. Connolly, 9th New-York

S. M.; lungs, fatally, Lieut. V. Robinson, 12th Mass.

lungs, serious; Lieut. Col. Lockwood, 6th West Va., head, severe; Lieut, Col. Sawyer, 8th Ohio, abdomen serious; Capt. Camp. 4th Ohio, shoulder, severe; Adjt Depui, 8tn Ohio, Capt. A. P. Craig, do., Capt. Jam E. Gregg, do., slightly; Col. Aaron Ebraight, 126th Maryland Militia Called Out for Garrison Duty-Detail of Government Em-

ployees for Nurses-The Ninth New York almost Annihilated. Special Dispatch to The N. Y. Tribune. WASHINGTON, D. C., Friday, May 13, 1864.

Two thousand Maryland militia have been alled out by the Government for 100 days, to de guard and post duty in Maryland, while all United States troops are sent to the front to help make assur A detail of twenty men, consisting of ten bookbinders

and ten compositors has been made from the Government Printing-office, to go to Fredericksburg and The 9th New-York Militia, which went into the fight

on Tuesday with three hundred men, came out in the evening with but four officers and fifteen men who were

Major-General James S. Wadsworth-His Death Not Certain.

A meeting of the Union Defense Committee was held at noon yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce Governor Fish in the chair, to take steps in regard to the decease of Major-Gen. James S. Wadsworth. A. gentleman present stated that information had been re-Maj.-Gen. Ed Johnson, commanding a division of neived that a Bebel prisoner had agreeted that on Saturand wounded left on the field."

relations for 40 years, after which the meeting adjourned, subject to the call of the chair as soon as th

worth is conveyed in the, following extract of a letter from Capt. Philip Schuyler of Gen. Patrick's Staff, re ceived here yesterday afternoon. The letter says:

"HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF THE POTOMAC,

"Heanquanters Army of the Potomac,
"Six miles North of Spottrsylvania"
"Court-House, 12 m., May 10.
"We have news this morning from Gen. Wadsworth.
A prisoner states that he saw him on Sunday morning, or Saturday night, lying on a couch in a hospital tent, with one of our officers attending him. He was shot in the head. The bullet entered near the nose. The General was breathing with some difficulty, and playing with the buttons of his coat." The last statement in this letter shows that Gen.

Wadsworth was so severely injured that his mind wandered. Gen. Patrick, named in Capt. Schuyler's

Funeral of Gen. Rice.

Brig.-Gen. James C. Rice will take place at the Madi- with a considerable force. His fighting qualities were son-square Church to-morrow (Sunday), at 34 o'clock established in 1862 by his spirited battle in front of p. m. Gen. Rice was a member of this Church, and his Lewisburg, Va., when, with the 36th Ohio, he was Railway Depot in Thirtieth street. Gen. Rice was occupy Lewisburg on the east side of New River. killed in the fight of the 10th instant, and died "with While at that point he learned that the Rebels were

Recognition of our Victories in the Trinity Rectory Episcopal Church May 13,

The Reverend the Clergy of this parish are equested, on the approaching feast of Whitsunday, to ffer solemn thanksgivings to Almighty Gop for the answer to the prayers of his people, and for the great mercies extended to this nation by his Divine Provi-dence during the past week. The form of thanksgiving set forth and authorized by the Bishop of this Di ese will be used immediately after the general thanks giving at each service during the day.

Mongan Dix, Rector of Trinity Parish.

ASSOCIATED PRESS AND OTHER ACCOUNTS.

Grant to the President-He Has " Move on the Enemy's Works"-The Splendid Achievements of Thursday-Bout of the Rebels Complete-Their Dead and Wounded in Our Hands.

Washington, Friday, May 13, 1864. The Extra Republican has the following highly important intelligence: "Gen. Grant sends a dispatch to the President re-

ceived last night, announcing, in terms of characteristic modesty, that he moved on the 'enemy's works' again at Spottsplvania Court-House on Thursday morning, 12th, at daylight.

"Gen. Burnside and Gen. Hancock made grand and impetuous charges with the bayonet by corps, surprising the enemy, producing the wildest consternation in his ranks, crushing Lee's right and center, and hurling his entire line back with awful slaughter a distance of several miles.

"Gen. Grant remained master of the field, with all the Rebel dead and wounded. " Besides, we captured thirty pieces of cannon, one

whole Rebel division, with its commander, Maj.-Gen. Ned Johnson, and his brother, Brig.-Gen. Johnson, and Brig.-Gen. George Stuart. "The rout of the enemy was complete.

"The capture of Gen. Johnson's Rebel division, em bracing four thousand men, is exclusive of Lee's killed Dispatch to Senator Neamith from Gen. Rufus Ingalls-News Glorious, but Rhetoric Shaky-A Western Man's Way of Fighting and Writing-Ingalis Writes With His Sword.

Washington, Friday, May 13, 1864. The following dispatch has just been received y Senator Nesmith from Gen. Rufus Ingalls, Chief Quartermaster of the Army of the Potomac. It brings positive information from the front as late as noon yesterday. Gen. Ingalls says:
"We have made a ten-strike to-day...

" Hancock went in at daylight. He has taken over four thousand prisoners and twenty-five guns, and is "Everybody is fighting, and have been for eight

"We shall have them this pop, though it may take a

day or two more.
"They fight like devils. Our losses are heavy-can't say how many.

"If Augur's forces were here now we could finish them to-day. " Hancock captured Gen. Ned Johnson and two other

renerals, beside lots of lower grades. The old Republic is firm. Bet your pile on it. "Grant is a giant and hero in war. But all our genruls are gallant; and as to our men, the world never had better. Yours, in haste, INGALLS. " Spettsylvania Court House, May 12-12 o'clock noon."

A Tale of Rumor-Lee said to have Surrendered with 40,000 Men-A Philadelphia Story.

PHILADELPHIA, Friday, May 13, 1864. The Bulletin has a special from Washington, aying " It is rumored there, that Lee has surrendered

Tale of Truth-Lee has not Surrendered and we have no 40,000 Bebel Prison ers-A New-York Story. NEW-YORK, Friday, May 13-14 p. m.

We are authorized by the War Department o state that the rumored capitulation of the Rebel Gen. Lee and his army is untrue.

Pennsylvania Reserves-Capture of their Commander-Their Losses Henry.

PHILADELPHIA, Friday, May 13, 1864. The Evening Telegraph has a dispatch stating that Gen. Crawford, commanding the Pennsylvania Reserves, was captured by the Rebels on Tuesday. Col. J. M. Jackson, of the 11th Pennsylvania Reserves, is now in command of the division. The Reserves have net with heavy losses.

A Rebel Newspaper Says That Gen. Lee Is Wounded and in Richmond.

Our correspondent with Gen. Butler writes: The Petersburg Express of the 11th says: "Gen. Lee in Richmond wounded." The telegraph lines beween Petersburg and Richmond have been cut several lays, as well as the railroad.

Requisition for Militia-The Insubordis untion of Lee's Men-Stragglers Caught. WASHINGTON, Friday, May 13, 1864.

The Government this afternoon made a requiition on Gov. Bradford for the immediate services of 2,000 Maryland Militia for 100 days, on the terms on which the Governors of the different Western States have recently placed their militia in the field. They are o relieve the other troops now doing guard and post duty in Maryland, who are to go at once to the front. The prisoners captured yesterday morning in Han-

cock's charge upon Johnson's division report that the Rebel army is in a state of almost total insubordinaion on account of the want of food. One hundred and fifty skedaddlers from Gen. Grant the Sixth street Wharf late last night, were this morning sent to the Provost-Marsbal's office. Not one of these men were wounded, but some represented that they had been sun struck. They will be also been sun struck.

rison duty in the various forts around the city. Troops Going Forward.

We see by our Cincinnati exchanges by this afternoon's mail, that some of the Ohio Militia Regiments at Camp Denison, have been ordered to Baltimore. The 149th Regiment, Col. Brown, left on the

"The reserve army, organized at Weahington under Gen. Crittenden, and now going forward to reenforce Grant, carries with it, in command of brigades, no less than five capable generals. Tyler, Lockwood, Roberts, Grose, and De Trobriand. We have all over the North able generals, who have had experience in this war, and who are not now in active service."

New Anxiliary-Gen. Crooks Coming from Western Virginia with a Con siderable Force-He is to Break Up

The Cincinnati Times says: Prominent among the combinations for the reduction of Richmond is the The mortuary services commemorative of movement of Gen. Crooks from the Kanawha Valley pastor, the Rev. Wm. Adams. D. D., will deliver the attacked by the Rebel force under Heath and Marshall. funeral discourse. There will be no military display to- At the time referred to, Gen. Cox was moving up the morrow, but on Monday morning the military will Valley for the destruction of the Virginia and Tennesescort the honorable remains to the Hudson River see railway to Newbern. Col. Crooks was sent to marching to attack him. He immediately moved his little command to meet them, chose his position, and severely whipped the approaching force. probable that Gen. Crooks is marching across the two ridges of the Alleghanies somewhere near the line of the Virginia and Tennessee railway, which will bring him in junction with Butler's army in its present pos tion. Gen. Crooks is an Ohioan, and has served with ability since the war began.

> More Wounded in Washington, Special Dispatch to The N. Y. Trib

Cooper, 150 | Read, 13 Ma

WASHINGTON, Thursday, May 12, 1864. The following additional wounded have arrived here, and are at the Emery Hospital, east of the capitol. They are mostly but slightly wounded, and several have already been reported fit for duty, and tarted back to the army:

D A Jackson, 20 Me, sick J Sanders, 40 N Y G W Stone, 20 Me, sich C Hisen, 75 N Y A K, 20 Me, sich C Hisen, 75 N Y A G W Stone, 20 Me, sich C Hisen, 76 N Y A G Me, sich C Me, 20 Me, 20

T Braly, 64 N Y B Smith, 10 N Y
J Keity, do
C Gilter, 5 Wis
J Stahl, do
J Vannest, 37 Mich
J H Giles, 139 Pa
P Hower, 33 Ps. sick

B Fitzgeraid, 149 Pad Betzel, 8 Pa Cav M. Wright, 3 Vt C Miles, do j Mitchell, 105 Pa Dupaw, 5 Vt A Soper, 141 Pa Jottlied Human, 5 Wi